

TOWN OF NEWFIELDS BOARD OF SELECTMEN  
MEETING MINUTES  
TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 2004

The meeting was called to order at 6:30pm. Selectmen present were David Dwyer, Betsy Coes and James McIlroy. Others present were Chief Art Reed, Brian Knipstein, Jed Rumford, Terry Maisey, Larry Arend and Peggy Moran.

The second reading of the stop sign ordinance was read.

The third reading of the temporary no parking ordinance was read. Chief Reed will print up a new copy after adding James McIlroy for signature.

Chief Reed reported that Mike Cole put up "No Parking" signs around town which will take effect at the commencement of the detour.

Brian Knipstein reported on putting up detour signs. David would like letters to go out to town residents informing them of the upcoming detour.

Brian met with NHDOT highway maintenance crew regarding winter maintenance on the detour while the bridge is under construction. Brian will communicate with Jed Rumford Jr, from NHDOT during winter storms.

The State will do maintenance on Pleasant Street and the town will do the rest.

Chief Reed reported that the results of the Old Lee Road traffic study will be available at next week's Selectmen's meeting.

Brian discussed the fire pond. The pond needs to be dredged soon and the permit will expire soon.

Cemetery Trustees Jed Rumford and Terry Maisey went before the Board to discuss the current budget. The Trustees informed the Selectmen that they will be going over budget. There is a huge dead pine tree in Locust Grove Cemetery that needs to be taken down. There was a monument that had fallen and needed to be fixed.

There is a tree at the Hilton Cemetery that needs to come down. The Trustees were instructed to get an estimate from Corin Hallowell.

A discussion of the Hilton Cemetery whether or not it is under the Cemetery Trustees domain took place.

Library Trustees Larry Arend and Peggy Moran were in to discuss future needs of the Library.

Space at the Library is becoming an issue. They would like to have an office for the Librarian.

The Selectmen advised them to meet with the Building Advisory Committee, as well as come up with a plan of what the Library wants.

The Library would also like to join in with the town on the oil contract.

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn at 8:54pm, all were in favor.

Respectfully submitted,

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James McIlroy  
Selectman